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In re Application of Mark Alperovich

Application No. 09/493,818

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Attorney Docket No. 109289.00121

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed January 21, 2004, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is granted.

The application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner in reply to the non-final Office action mailed September 11, 2002, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three months from the mail date of the Notice. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 have been obtained. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on December 12, 2002.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 1756 for further processing.

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